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For:	USE OF POST-TRANSCRIPTIONAL GENE SILENCING FOR IDENTIFYING NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES THAT MODULATE THE FUNCTION OF A CELL		

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed February 3, 2010 in the above-noted U.S. patent application.

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